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SECOND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

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Dear Madam:

Now comes prospective opposer, Altrio Communications, Inc., a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, and respectfully requests that the time within which to oppose registration of the above-identified mark, presently set to expire on September 27, 2003, be extended for a period of 60 days up to and including November 26, 2003. The first extension of time to oppose, from August 28, 2003 up to and including September 27, 2003 has already been granted.

The additional time is required in order to complete investigation by prospective opposer concerning grounds for opposition and for consultation between counsel and management of prospective opposer regarding the necessity of filing a Notice of Opposition.

This request is not being made for the purpose of delay, and the granting of same is solicited for the reasons cited. Further, this request is submitted in triplicate in accordance with FMEP Section 1503.04(a).

Respectfully submitted,

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